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MINUTES OF POND SLUDGE ACCELERATED REMOVAL TEAM KICKOFF MEETING - SPN-109-93

The Pondsludge Removal Design Criteria Team Kickoff meeting was held on 7/27/93. Joe Mellen, who chaired the meeting, handed out ICF Kaiser Options Analysis final reports to groups for review. He also handed out viewgraph packets. Joe said that the schedule for this study was shown to the regulators, and nobody objected or approved. He emphasized that schedule is very critical, and that we will, in effect, be creating our own IAG milestone to begin construction of the closure of OU4. The Options Analysis is essentially completed although not cast in stone. HNUS representatives stated that they had not had sufficient time to review the Options Analysis report and did not approve or disapprove the report. Health and Safety representatives present expressed reservations and withheld comments until they had time to study the report. The group now has one month for the Title II Design Criteria portion of the project.

Joe Roberts stated that tents 2 and 3 are needed for container storage, but tent 6 will not be needed. Joe Mellen pointed out that we need to have Sitewide Planning coordinate with other remediation groups if we are going to appropriate the tent space. The planned sequence of cleanout is consolidated B ponds, C pond, and then the clarifier. Steve Keith stated that, based upon prior experience, we should distribute schedule contingency allowance throughout the project, NOT assigning it to the final milestone only.

Considerable discussion ensued over the use of frac tanks vs. roll-off tanks. Frac tanks have the advantage of storing more volume per footprint area (i.e., they have higher walls). However, it is possible to squeeze roll-off tanks into storage space that the frac tanks couldn't fit into. Because of this, the optimized storage plan would use as many frac tanks as could fit under a tent, and then "border" the frac tanks with roll-off tanks. Additional storage space could be saved by decanting pond materials derived from the B ponds. Joe Roberts suggested pumping out ponds in the good weather, and then decanting during the winter months.

Joe Mellen proposed weekly Friday morning meetings, followed by Friday afternoon informal presentations to regulators and DOE representatives.

Bob Richardella stated that ICF Kaiser's duties only extended to pumping the ponds, and that subsequent cleanout would be done by other parties. However, Leon Collins stated that rinsedown was to be included by ICF Kaiser in terms of the time and water volume required to be included in storage and schedule calculations.

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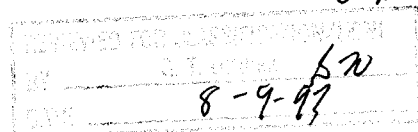
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